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RELATING TO LOCI UNDERLYING RESISTANCE TO SOYBEAN  
CYST NEMATODE AND SOYBEAN SUDDEN DEATH  
SYNDROME AND METHODS EMPLOYING SAME  
Our Ref. No. 1268/4/2

Sir:

Please find enclosed in connection with the subject U.S. patent application the following documents:

1. An Amendment Transmittal Form (2 pages) in duplicate;
2. An Amendment A (32 pages);
3. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 (3 pages);
4. Copies of four (4) references;
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